

STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Applicant/Patent Owner: Hadi Partovi et al.

Application No./Patent No.: 09/523,853

Filed/Issue Date: March 13, 2000

Entitled: CONTENT PERSONALIZATION OVER AN INTERFACE WITH ADAPTIVE VOICE CHARACTER

Tellme Networks, Inc., a corporation

(Name of Assignee)

(Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, etc.)

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April 24, 2006
Date

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In re Application of
Hadi Partovi et al.
Application No. 09/523,853
Filed: March 13, 2000
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
CONTENT PERSONALIZATION OVER A
TELEPHONE INTERFACE WITH
ADAPTIVE VOICE CHARACTER

DECISION ACCORDING STATUS
UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a)

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a) filed June 22, 2000.

The petition is granted.

The application papers have been reviewed and found in compliance with 37 CFR 1.47(a). This application is hereby accorded Rule 1.47(a) status

As provided in Rule 1.47(a), this Office will forward notice of this application's filing date to non-signing inventor Zhe Li at his address given in the declaration. Notice of the filing of this application will also be published in the Official Gazette.

This application is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 2768.

Inquiries related to this decision may be addressed to Kien Nguyen at (703) 306-5592 or in his absence, the undersigned at (703) 305-1820.

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ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATION

Docket Number 22379-710

Whereas, the undersigned:

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hereinafter termed "Inventors", have invented certain new and useful improvements in

**METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTENT PERSONALIZATION OVER
A TELEPHONE INTERFACE WITH ADAPTIVE VOICE CHARACTER**

- ☒ for which an application for United States Patent was filed on March 13, 2000, Application No. 09/523,853
☐ for which an application for a United States Patent was executed on , and

WHEREAS, Tellme Networks, Inc., having a place of business at 1310 Villa Street, Mountain View, CA 94041, (hereinafter termed "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and the invention disclosed therein, and in and to all embodiments of the invention, heretofore conceived, made or discovered jointly or severally by said Inventors (all collectively hereinafter termed "said invention"), and in and to any and all patents, inventor's certificates and other forms of protection (hereinafter termed "patents") thereon granted in the United States and foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of good and valuable consideration acknowledged by said Inventors to have been received in full from said Assignee:

1. Said Inventors do hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey unto said Assignee the entire right, title and interest (a) in and to said application and said invention; (b) in and to all rights to apply for foreign patents on said invention pursuant to the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property or otherwise; (c) in and to any and all applications filed and any and all patents granted on said invention in the United States or any foreign country, including each and every application filed and each and every patent granted on any application which is a divisional, substitution, continuation, or continuation-in-part of any of said applications; and (d) in and to each and every reissue or extensions of any of said patents.

2. Said Inventors hereby jointly and severally covenant and agree to cooperate with said Assignee to enable said Assignee to enjoy to the fullest extent the right, title and interest herein conveyed in the United States and foreign countries. Such cooperation by said Inventors shall include prompt production of pertinent facts and documents, giving of testimony, execution of petitions, oaths, specifications, declarations or other papers, and other assistance all to the extent deemed necessary or desirable by said Assignee (a) for perfecting in said Assignee the right, title and interest herein conveyed; (b) for prosecuting any of said applications; (c) for filing and prosecuting substitute, divisional, continuing or additional applications covering said invention; (d) for filing and prosecuting applications for reissuance of any said patents; (e) for interference or other priority proceedings involving said invention; and (f) for legal proceedings involving said invention and any applications therefor and any patents granted thereon, including without limitation reissues and reexaminations, opposition proceedings, cancellation proceedings, priority contests, public use proceedings, infringement actions and court actions; provided, however, that the expense incurred by said Inventors in providing such cooperation shall be paid for by said Assignee.

3. The terms and covenants of this assignment shall inure to the benefit of said Assignee, its successors, assigns and other legal representatives, and shall be binding upon said Inventors, their respective heirs, legal representatives and assigns.

4. Said Inventors hereby jointly and severally warrant and represent that they have not entered and will not enter into any assignment, contract, or understanding in conflict herewith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said Inventors have executed and delivered this instrument to said Assignee as of the dates written below:

1. Date: 5/25/2000

Hadi Partovi

State of California)

County of)

On _____, 2000, before me, personally appeared _____ [] personally known to me or [] proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence, to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same. WITNESS my hand and official seal.

2. Date: 6/14/2000

Roderick S. Brathwaite

State of California)

County of)

On _____, 2000, before me, personally appeared _____ [] personally known to me or [] proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence, to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same. WITNESS my hand and official seal.

3. Date: 6/13/2000

Angus M. Davis

State of California)

County of)

On _____, 2000, before me, personally appeared _____ [] personally known to me or [] proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence, to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same. WITNESS my hand and official seal.

4. Date: 6/15/00

Michael S. McCue

State of California)

County of)

On _____, 2000, before me, personally appeared _____ [] personally known to me or [] proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence, to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same. WITNESS my hand and official seal.

5. Date: 6/13/2000

Brandon W. Porter
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State of California)

County of)

On _____, 2000, before me, personally appeared _____, [] personally known to me or [] proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence, to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same. WITNESS my hand and official seal.

6. Date: 6/13/00

J. Giannandrea
John Giannandrea

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County of)

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7. Date: 6/13/00

Eckart Walther
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State of California)

County of)

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8. Date: _____

Zhe Li

State of California)

County of)

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